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### RELEASED ROBBERS' VICTIM.

Stephen Frenz was Locked in His Icebox.

Lad Called for Matches and Opened the Door.

Through the Icebox Window He Could See Thieves Rob Money Drawers and Then Make Captive of His Patron.

"Hey, there!" called a small boy who entered the grocery store of Stephen Frenz shortly after 10 o'clock Wednesday night, "my ma wants a cent's worth of matches."

"All right, boy," called a voice from cavernous depths. "Just let me out of this icebox and I'll wait on you."

It was Mr. Frenz in the icebox, victim of four hold robbers who made a clean sweep of the cash in the two tills a minute before and escaped with Henry Faulkner as their prisoner.

The boy opened the door of the refrigerator, after rolling away a big barrel of beer that had been placed against it, and Mr. Frenz walked out, cool and collected.

"Hullo, cheer!" said the boy. "I thought you was a ghost, I did."

To the police, Mr. Frenz told a thrilling tale of his capture and imprisonment, the robbing of his saloon and grocery store tills and the carrying off of an elderly customer, Mr. Faulkner of Howard street.

Mr. Frenz conducts a grocery store and saloon, combined, at the northeast corner of Elliot avenue and North Market street. The grocery occupies the corner room. The bar is back of the grocery, with a screen swinging door between.

Just at the end of the bar, between it and the store, is the big icebox. A man can stand up in it without stooping. The door shuts with a snap and it cannot be opened from the inside. On the other side, toward the bar, is a thick plate-glass window, 18 inches square.

ROBBERS WERE FASHIONABLY DRESSED. Andrew Johnson, not related to the successor of Abraham Lincoln, bought a drink and bade the proprietor good-night at 10 o'clock. Mr. Frenz's clerks had gone for the night, except for Mr. Faulkner, who was enjoying a cigar at a table near the saloon door, he was alone in the double establishment.

Three young men walked in at the side door. They were fashionably dressed. Two wore black overcoats of the latest cut, and the other was a Regan man. They were black soft hats. Two were smooth shaven, the other had a dark mustache.

The young men lined up at the bar. Mr. Frenz had just stepped into the grocery, several women having entered the store. They made purchases and departed.

"Here, bartender, give me something to drink," called one of the men.

Mr. Frenz returned to the bar. The three men called for whisky.

"Here old man," said the mustache one to Mr. Faulkner, "have something with us."

Mr. Faulkner said he didn't mind a little whisky. He stepped to the bar between the mustache man, who stood at the east end, and one of the smooth faced youths.

All poured out whisky. The proprietor heard a man in the store and supposed he wanted to buy something. He walked to the end of the

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bar, intending to enter the store. He must pass within a few inches of the icebox door.

When Mr. Frenz was immediately in front of the icebox, the man with the mustache walked up to him and placed the muzzle of a big revolver against his breast.

"Stop where you are," he said, "and hold up your hands."

FRENZ HELD HIS HANDS HIGH. "I held up my hands, high," said Mr. Frenz, in relating the incident. "He had that gun right against my heart."

The robber quickly searched the pockets of the proprietor, but found no money.

Meanwhile, Mr. Faulkner, who held his glass poised in the very act of enjoying the strangers' hospitality, uttered a sudden exclamation. The young man at his left placed a pistol barrel against his temple and commanded him to hold up his hands.

"I held up my hands and whisky both," said Mr. Faulkner. "They gave me no time to drink the liquor that they invited me to take. Think of it!"

While the cold steel was held firmly against Mr. Faulkner's head, the robber who had Mr. Frenz in tow opened the icebox door.

"Get in there, quick," he commanded.

Mr. Frenz got in. The robber shut the door with a snap. Mr. Frenz was securely locked in his own hell.

Just back of him was a huge slab of ice, preserving some butter and vegetables. The temperature was 33 degrees.

The mustache man walked behind the bar and opened the cash drawer. Looking through the little plate-glass window of his prison Mr. Frenz could witness the whole scene.

He saw the man take all the money he knew it to be only \$15 or \$16— from the drawer, and he saw the third robber, who up to that time had done nothing, walk behind the bar and observe closely the sum of money taken by the other.

It was evident that the third man had little faith in the theory of honor amongst thieves.

SCENE AMIDST ROBBERS' VICTIM. Mr. Frenz saw, also his friend Faulkner standing motionless, his empty left hand high above his head, and his right hand holding the whisky glass poised as if in the act of proposing a toast.

"If it hadn't been so comfounded cold in there," remarked Mr. Frenz, "I should have laughed, in spite of the robbery."

The proprietor saw the three robbers, joined by the fourth, who had taken a few dollars in small change from the grocery till, walk out of the saloon, Mr. Faulkner in front of them.

The robbers took their prisoner to an alley on Madison street, near Hill lot avenue, where they told him to walk away.

"And if you turn around to look at us," said the one who had covered him with the weapon, "we'll fill you full of lead."

Meanwhile, the icebox prisoner shivered with cold. No customer came, and he could not get out. He placed his shoulder against the thick door, but could not spring the lock.

He kicked and called, but no aid came.

"I began to think it was a case of lodging in my icebox," he said later, "when that little boy finally came in and opened the door."

"What you doin' in the icebox, Mr. Frenz?" asked the boy.

"Just cooling off, Johnny," replied Mr. Frenz.

"Cheer whizz!" said Johnny.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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## BONINE TRIAL

Remarkable Murder Mystery That Startled Washington Last May.

Theories Advanced as to Circumstances of Peculiar Tragedy.

### GREWSOME EXHIBIT.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The trial of Mrs. Lola Ida Bonine, on the charge of killing James Seymour Ayres, Jr., last May is now fairly launched.

The preliminary presentation of the case on behalf of the Government was heard by Assistant District Attorney Hugh T. Taggart, and after he had concluded a number of witnesses were heard. Mr. Taggart's statement consumed only about an hour and fifteen minutes, and consisted for the most part of a review of the circumstances connected with the tragedy. Mr. Taggart stated the theory of the prosecution to be that Ayres was murdered by Mrs. Bonine and that she gained admission to his room in the Kenmore Hotel through the window, reaching it by means of the fire escape. He attempted to show that she was piqued by his non-attention to her.

Mrs. Bonine apparently was not moved by his representations. Once or twice during the address she leaned over and spoke to her attorneys.

In his address Mr. Taggart contended that the killing of Ayres had been felonious and malicious and therefore was to be characterized as murder, as charged in the indictment. There was a tie between the prisoner and the dead man in the fact that Ayres was a student of dentistry and she had studied medicine. As a consequence she became a visitor to his room in the hotel, where they both lived, not only in the daytime, but at night, as well, "and," he added, "the door was not always open when she was there."

He told of the quarrels between them, saying that Ayres ceased to speak to her and that she complained of his ingratitude. "We expect to show," he said, "that while she made advances to him, Ayres did not avail himself of the opportunity thus offered, beyond dancing with her again. He had danced with her on the night before the tragedy, but had shown that he was averse to a renewal of the former familiar intercourse."

As an instance of his attitude toward Mrs. Bonine, Mr. Taggart said that Ayres had refused to accept a coronation from her on the Monday he was to be killed. It was therefore, evident, said the attorney, that while he was indifferent, there was a disposition on her part to modify him.

A GREWSOME SPECTACLE. District Attorney Gould is prepared to present to the jury in the Bonine case the most gruesome exhibits which have ever been arranged for a jury in this city. The first is a manikin such as is used in medical schools on the instruction of students. The flesh is turned back from the breast and stomach, exposing the heart, lungs and other internal organs, all colored to represent the living body. The second is a life-sized paper machine figure of young Ayres, in all the strength of his manhood, the figure bears the wounds inflicted during the fatal struggle.

The holes gaped through the painted sides, so titled as to resemble human flesh, is a gruesome sight. It is placed on a bier, covered with a white sheet, and while in full view of the jury will be at all times in front of the little woman charged with the murder of Ayres. The measurements and proportions of the effigy were taken from the corpse of young Ayres. The head is perfectly formed. The every mark, stain, bruise and peculiarity found upon the original is reproduced, and to all appearances it is a real corpse. Three great bullet holes gape from the body and limbs.

The blood which drained out of the wounds brings the tragedy in all its horrors. The limbs of the body are wired, like those of a skeleton, so that it can be made to act and assume any position possible in a human being.

The witnesses thus far introduced have not been important for their testimony relating principally to circumstances attending the tragedy.

PARTIES TO THE TRAGEDY. No witness exists to the killing, but this Mrs. Bonine, who is a rather sharp, possibly hard-featured, slender woman of a thin lips, tightened chin and crossed cheeks, giving a longish convexity to her face, which is set off in a dress made, perhaps, by her own hands in the jail, where she had been five months. She belongs to the floating population of women seeking God's-meat clerkships since the day of old Treasurer Spinner, who was the son of a Roman Catholic priest

from Baden, the country of Carl Schurz. Spinner introduced one of the most momentous changes in political Civil Service, the employment of women in the United States departments. Mrs. Bonine was one of the larger series of Southern women who wanted one of the clerkships under the census of 1899, Mr. Potter, in the census of 1899, giving much room to Southern women. Mrs. Bonine got in the vicinity of the Census Office. Ayres was employed there. He was a copy of the average boy who gets a government job while studying at some of the many professional schools in this city. His purpose was dentistry, and he was nearly ready for business when Mrs. Bonine killed him, she says, because, having gone to his room between midnight and morning in the partial dress of one who did not mind reflections, he drew a pistol upon her to force her into his bed.

She caught at the pistol, she says, and it went off and she found she had killed him. Then she got out on the fire escape, which comes to his window outside of the front of the house, a series of iron ladders. She waited until he was quite dead, say 10 or 15 minutes. Then she made that almost perilous descent, holding up her skirts and holding to the slim open hand-rail and in her stocking feet, and she went into the open parlor window on the second floor, washed her bloody hands and dress and went to bed, and for five days she declared that she knew nothing of the crime.

Then, in the jury anti-room, between a gallant detective's solicitations and the imminent threat of a cross-examination within a moment, she told her own tale, and by telling it, staved off till now any test of it. The jury was discharged. It was regarded as a triumph for the police officer. The jury protested, but the District Attorney stepped at that critical time any test of Mrs. Bonine's statement.

THREE THEORIES. Three theories of the tragedy are offered: First, the prisoner, that she killed Ayres for her honor after going to his room half dressed.

The second theory is that of most Washington women, and especially of the female clerks of the Government, that Mrs. Bonine had a rival, found her in Ayres' room and shot him in jealousy. This story leaves no room for her vindication of honor. Ayres was to have left that hotel next morning early for good, upon the ground that he had an enemy there who had written an anonymous letter to the Congressman from Michigan, who had appointed Ayres, especially after Ayres had taken the Congressman's respectable daughter to a ball. Ayres had, without naming her, said with violent anger, that he had an enemy woman, in that hotel, and he refused to speak to Mrs. Bonine for some time before preparing to go away.

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a failing body, means of deep distress, vomiting blood and silence.

No clew would have been to any woman in the case, but that two witnesses outside of the house were horrified to see a woman descending the fire escape. Their testimony forced Mrs. Bonine to a confession, in which she stigmatized the dead boy as drinking hard and attempting violence toward her.

The third theory is that the prosecution is proceeding upon; that a woman killed Ayres because he had dropped her acquaintance. It was a murder for injured self-esteem. She was a sort of a half-pay header, too poor to pay for three or four eking out her board by being society chaperone. Ayres leaving the house probably reduced her value as one who could keep it full.

He left unquestionably on her account. His trunk was packed and he "said good-by" to the men boarders, and would be off before breakfast, a period of only five hours in those long days. Some one waited until all was still. Some one killed him in such away that he could never speak, or hardly shirk.

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## JUDGE CLIFTON J. PRATT

Wins the Attorney Generalship in the Court of Appeals--A Just Decision.

The outcome of the case of Pratt vs. Breckinridge demonstrates the political acumen of Judge Pratt. When he was engaged in the contest two years ago he told all of the other contestants that they were being robbed under the forms of law, but that they were helpless. Pryor and Ellis resigned from the board of commissioners because they would not do the bidding of the gang of robbers, and two new members were appointed who would do the dirty work of that time. Pratt knew they had no chance before the board Judge Cantrell was on the circuit bench in Franklin county, and he knew there was no chance there. Hazlerigg was on the appellate bench and he knew there was no chance there. All of the contestants agreed with him thus far, but they were advised that there was a federal question involved, and that the United States courts would give him justice. Here they disagreed. Judge Pratt held that no federal question could be made out of it, and governed himself accordingly. He took no appeal from the decision of the Franklin circuit court, although he protected himself by giving notice. The next election brought a change in the political complexion of the court, and he was vindicated, both in his foresight and his knowledge and skill in the law. There was no way in which the government could have been saved, but all the other offices could have been filled for at least a part of the term by the men who were elected to fill them if Pratt's advice had been taken.

And all of the trouble and disgrace that has fallen on Kentucky would have been avoided if Pratt had been nominated for Governor, as he should have been, by the Republican State convention in 1899. He is one of the ablest lawyers in the State, and there

is no shrewder politician or lazier fighter than he. He will not sink into oblivion when he ends his term as Attorney General.

As to Breckinridge, there will be small sympathy for him. His own party will not shed many tears over his ousting. He was not the choice of the gang for the nomination, but it was feared that he could handle the element that would lead to defeat, and he practically threatened to do it if the nomination were not given him. He is an incapable of the first water, and weak as many of the occupants of his office have been, he is no improvement on the weakest. His threat to run for Governor will not alarm even Henry Watterson.—Owensboro Inquirer.

Minutes. Of teachers' association of Sulphur Magisterial district, held at Narrows, November 16, 1901. The Association was called to order by Vice President Wm. Park. J. A. Sanbach was elected chairman and A. M. Acton secretary. Mr. Park delivered an earnest and impressive address of welcome to the teachers.

How to create an interest in history was presented by J. A. Barrett. He favors story-telling of great men and their achievements and if the pupils are not then interested, change the plan of recitation. He was followed by Mr. Park, who favors the change of

plan of recitation from his to five times a week.

In the absence of D. P. Mosely, the subject of Physical Geography was assigned to Jesse Black. He had no class and preferred hearing from the chairman, who gave an interesting talk.

A recitation was then delivered by Miss Lizzie Hunt. Reclass. After recess the tardy pupil was presented by Mr. Park. He favors the assigning of extra work to be performed next day. He was followed by H. C. Truman. Noon.

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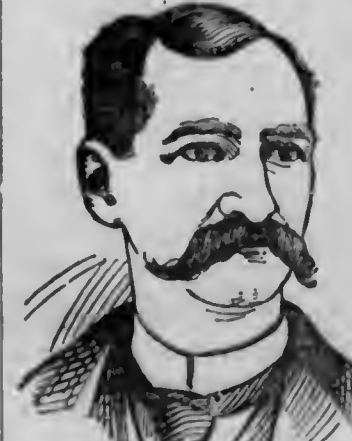
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## Hartford Republican.

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### OUR MAN FOR CONGRESS.

The race for Congress in this district next year reminds the public that it is about Ohio county's time to furnish a candidate for this office, on the Democratic side of the house," says Wednesday's Herald. From a cause better known, perhaps, to the editor, he failed to suggest a suitable candidate from this county for that high position. Since the Herald has been kind enough to advise us that it is this county's time for Congress, and failed to offer its candidate, we presume the selection of the man has been left for us, therefore we shall proceed straightforward to the work, asking the patience and indulgence of our readers while we briefly set forth the cause of our man for the place.

In selecting a man from Ohio county to fill a seat in Congress, the Democratic party ought to take into consideration, first of all, service to party, without respect to qualification or fitness of the man. If this is done the mantle of honor will descend to the right honorable George Heber Matthews, of the Herald. Mr. Matthews is thoroughly up to the place but rendered his party most excellent service in the recent election, by not taking any part in defending the abominable records of the men on the Democratic ticket, and, without parrying further, he should be nominated by acclamation. He is a man of "letters" and would make his mark in Congress. And when it comes to legislating on the "half-pint" crop, his knowledge and experience of its indispensability would prove most valuable and beneficial. He is an intellectual giant, capable of fighting or running—but prefers to run upon on all occasions. He would rank with the best Congressional athletes. He could "skin a cat" about as quick as the next one, and other things as skillfully. We are for Mr. Matthews for Congress and think his other self, Mr. A. G. Benton, ought to be made U. S. Senator from Kentucky. We shall do all in our power to secure this nomination and election, and think the Democracy of the 4th district quite dull of comprehension if it doesn't dance to the tune of our very deserving contemporary.

### NEEDED REFORM.

The conduct of the recent election, or rather the manner in which it was conducted, clearly demonstrates the fact that non-partisan legislation is very badly needed to govern Kentucky electors. In every State in the Union, in most every county and municipal election, money is used in a surprising quantity. The recent election in Ohio county was the most corrupt affair that ever occurred in the county's history. From the 4th of March to the 4th of November, the Democratic candidates and their benches boasted that they could buy the county offices. On November 5, the most desperate effort ever made by desperate men was vigorously prosecuted throughout the day in every precinct in the county, and when the returns were cast up, a most remarkable aspect was presented. A majority of 375 had been changed practically to a minority.

The cause was known to all. It was money and whisky. These two entities of men played havoc with the unprincipled and unscrupulous citizenry of Ohio county. Democratic heeled, bidders for votes, were at the polls everywhere, with an unlimited amount of money—and whisky, too—from credulous discernable. Miraculous was the change in the heavy Republican precincts, where Democratic boile was strewn like fallen leaves in autumn. Men who had long espoused the cause of Republicanism were made enemies of the Democratic corruptionists through the mighty cutting influences of the mighty dollars rolled into their "flanks." Men who had been, and in ordinary times, are yet honorable citizens, were informed sold out "sole, body and breeches" to the corruptionists and were herded in the woods with the wild beasts of the forests, others who were less timid and who doubtless got handsome sums of this world's goods for their service, were drafted into service and fought, all day long, in the camp of the enemy.

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carrying not a straw for themselves, nor the law, fired by the spirit of the times and the passion that seized them, made men, of fair standing, beasty drunk, and right at the political doors of justice, right at the door of the court house in Hartford, right in this immediate vicinity of boasted intelligence drove a wagon, rolled the fallen victim, a miserable spectacle into same and under whip and spur, drove him to the dump pile in the lugubrious forest, robbing him of a right handed down through years of ceaseless toil and from many blood stained battlefields. This was only one case that came within personal knowledge. These monstrous offenses must, in a large measure, cease to exist, else the power to govern by free will Americans is destroyed and the final downfall of the republic will follow, as has been the case in every government controlled by such bellic methods.

The law restricting election frauds at present, is wholly inadequate. It has been tried abundantly and the times grow from bad to worse. The money sharks are not afraid of the law, that fact was clearly demonstrated in Ohio county during the recent election. It is gravely at fault and the more a bad thing is used the worse it becomes. Let's start a reform. Every man who sells his vote ought to be disfranchised and imprisoned for five years. The law ought to so read, and this thing of vote selling would belong to another century. The man who sells his vote is a dangerous citizen and is unfit to participate in choosing the country's rulers. He ought to be disfranchised and eliminated from politics. His influence is odious, his personality vicious, his presence repulsive, his deportment always suspicious. What we need is less selling, less buying, less corruption and more intelligent voting.

### THAT REORGANIZATION.

The Herald this week suggests that the leadership of the Republican party in Ohio county ought to be changed; that the present leaders are incapable of the faith; that the recent election shows the huddling of their incapability, and so on. This is the character of argument we have had from the Herald for two years with a variety at times, merging into epistles anonymous and mysterious. The leaders of the Republican party have won the ill will of the Herald, because of their hard and persistent fight for the freedom of the ballot box, against the robbery of the Democratic officers' trust at Frankfort, which the Herald so royally accepted. The organ for the Ohio county Republicanism has incurred the malice and ill will of the Herald scribe, merely because it would not cater to the demands of this intellectual dwarf.

The recent election demonstrated in one way only the incapability of the Republican leaders, that was to raise as large a corruption fund as the Democratic hoodlums. The Republican party fought its battle this year upon the very highest plane, its candidates went before the people with their case, daring their cowardly opponents to meet them on the stump, they presented their case in the spirit of high-toned gentlemen. But whilst this was the course pursued by the Republican party, its candidates and leaders, the Democratic candidates were out seeking foreign capital to combine with their home surplus to buy out the county offices; they were riding under the cover of darkness, hunting for the weak and poor of the Republican party in every hamlet, in every village and the remote districts were made headquarters for the beer "drinkings" and the "blind pig." The Democratic party made its fight strictly on money and whisky, both in an unlimited amount. They employed the most desperate characters to ride daily, they hesitated to approach no one, even insuring men surprisingly. The renegade Republican was their prey—money and wine made him tame and brittle, enlisted him into the regular army put him into the field to sow damnation to the souls of men with money and whisky, with "top-line" and "boss rule" as an excuse.

This conduct was a vindication of the promise of the Democratic party to buy the county offices. The Republicans made no such campaign. Their candidates were honorable gentlemen, could not and would not condescend to the dirt committed by the Democratic candidates and their henchmen. In view of the conduct of the Democratic party in the recent election, and with a personal knowledge of enormous crimes committed, the Herald's brazen scribe screws up courage to attribute the defeat of Rogers and Heaven to inability as leaders, when they both have more servicable, practical and general knowledge in one minute than "A. G. Benton" ever had, or will have that matter.

Its cry of a political lunatic for a change in another man's business. If the leadership of the Republican party under its present regime is bad; if the Republican party under the guidance of its present leaders can be easily beaten by the Democratic party, why should a Democrat desire any change made? The thrusts made by

the author of "A. G. Benton" are false, and could not be otherwise originating in the heart of an assassin of character.

The Republican party is in better condition today than ever before; it needs no change of leader; its battles must be fought along the same lines, for the same principles and for the same cause. The "Bellweathers" of the Democratic party have gone "busted" and defeated. We will not have another "Twenty thousand dollar corruption fund to fight in many years, perhaps never.

A FRENCH physician, Dr. Philippe Marchele, of Paris, proposes a "reform" in corset-wearing. He wants a law enacted, making it a misdemeanor for a woman under 30 years of age to wear a corset. This reformer is an old bay reed. He ought to have lived in the Divonian age. The idea that old maids alone be allowed to wear corsets won't be entertained by the present generation for one moment. It was well for the world that he lives across the waters. The American girls would do him to quick, were he to bring his reform into this country.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PRATT is the logical candidate for Governor in 1903. We thought he made a mistake early in the contest in not standing by his colleagues, but he knew more about the temperament of the Democratic Court of Appeals. We labored under the idea that the court would steer clear of politics, but it did not, and Pratt must have known it. We have since learned that the Democratic court pull off the mask when an office is in sight. They go upon the idea that anything is right that helps the Democrats, court or no court.

We have fought the battles of the party for over two years. At every time the enemy said fight we have accommodated him. Most of the time, however, we have been the aggressors. For some time we have had things our way. Our contemporary, Mr. Matthews, was wont to vent his spleen against a former member of this editorial staff, and was caught in the act. He assaulted a "half pint" and was caught in the act, and the only thing he offers us is CROW SALAD. An idiot might think this argument, but a gentleman never will.

The little republic of Columbia, S. A., is having troubles of her own. Her folks have been warring for the past year and the other day engaged in a great battle, in which, it is said, 150 men were killed and wounded. Somebody ought to put a stop to this. Uncle Sam is a very humanitarian old gentleman, we therefore, appoint and set apart for him, this field of humanitarianism.

The Hopkins County Union Miners are determined to stay with their tents at Nortonville and Judge Hall has an elephant in his hands. One thing is very certain, the miners are not going to be bluffed. It will require more than wind to drive them from camp. What will the next step be? Judge Hall, it's up to you.

HENRY WATKINSON, the "Money and Morals" lecturer, would make Kentucky an excellent Governor. The greatest objection we find with Watkinson in the Governor's chair, is he stays "sober" too much. That, of course, would do for a Kentucky Executive.

GERMANY is bristling up against John Bull like she would like to join the Boers in giving him a sound thrashing. This isn't necessary, just give the Boers a little more time and they will do the work.

DEMOCRATIC journals are wonderfully astonished at the decision of the Court of Appeals in the Pratt-Breckinridge case. They think it awfully strange that men are again accorded justice in Kentucky.

YESTERDAY was Thanksgiving and the famous fowl was made to realize it very forcibly. Their numbers were considerably thinned.

WHERE does the preacher get his inspiration who sells his vote for filthy lucre? In the dollar, of course.

CONGRESS will have a penny postage bill before it during its next session.

CONGRESS will convene Monday.

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Woman's Murderers Caught. Columbia, S. C., Nov. 26.—From further reports received the killing of Mrs. Rachel Powell, reported last

night, was by a gang of young men residing in the wilds of Oconee county, 160 miles from here. Six men have been arrested including four brothers named Hindson. Wesley Powell, husband of the murdered woman, it is said, recognized them when they attacked the house. The cause of the attack is unknown. Mrs. Powell was fired upon as she showed herself in the door and was killed instantly. (No assault was made on the husband.) The woman was over fifty years old.

### Republican Caucus.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The Republican members of the house of representatives will meet in caucus Saturday at 2 o'clock for the purpose of nominating house officers. There is no contest and Speaker Henderson and the other elective officers will be re-elected. It is expected that there will be a sharp contest over re-nominating the Reed rules. All the afternoon and evening, if necessary, will be given to discussing the subject.

The Democratic caucus will be held at 11 o'clock Saturday to nominate minority candidates and also to name the new employees conceded to the minority in the house.

### A "No Pass" Experiment.

All the railroads east of Chicago, and north of the Ohio river to the Atlantic seaboard, and all the steamship lines connected with them, have entered into an ironclad compact to abolish all forms of free transportation on January 1, 1912. The resolution adopted by the Trunk Line Association and the Central Passenger Association are radical. No exception has been made touching politicians or members of the legislatures or of Congress. It is to be a case of "pay, pay, pay" for every person using these lines after this year.

Presumably the officials of these roads mean business, and their "no pass" experiment will be watched with deep interest; for the departure from the time-honored custom will have to go through an experimental stage in order to prove that the rail way officials can carry out to the letter their present good intentions.

There is no doubt that a rigidly enforced no-pass rule would be immensely beneficial to the railway and steamship lines of the country, and it is not impossible to carry such a measure into effect; but will it be done?

It is hoped the new resolutions will prove effective from the start and will remain so permanently; but one cannot repress a feeling of doubt on this point. If the politicians demand passes, and nothing else will satisfy them, the "no pass" rule is likely to be severely strained. And once it is broken in a few instances it will not be a great while before the floodgates of free transportation are wide open again.—Chicago Post.

Peter Miller committed suicide at Omaha, Neb., and this is the way he did it: First, he drew a large knife across his throat, but a friend succeeded in getting the weapon away from him before he could completely sever his head. He secured an iron bar and crashed his skull. The crushing process did not bring the desired results and he endeavored to chop his life away with a hatchet. This method also proved a failure, and matters had begun to look a little serious for the "suicider," when the "rope route" occurred to him. "Twas a happy thought. He was found next morning tied to one end of the rope, the other end being to a furniture van. This is rather discouraging to individuals who are contemplating suicide.

### Rayner Refuses a Fee.

Ex-Baltimore, Md., Nov. 27.—It was learned today that Mr. Isidor Rayner, chief counsel for Rear Admiral W. S. Schley in the recent hearing before the court of inquiry, had refused to accept a fee for his services. A mutual friend of the admiral and Mr. Rayner stated that the admiral recently sent a valuable gold watch to Mrs. Rayner and a magnificent brooch of diamonds and pearls to Mrs. Rayner.

Editor—No, I don't want your trashy old poem.

Poet—Well, needn't get so uppish about it. You're not the only one that doesn't want it!—Akron (Ohio) Democrat.

### Notice to Farmers.

To the farmers of Ohio county.—I have the best seed cleaner, ever in Ohio county, for sale at Beaver Dam, for \$16.50. I own the county right for fifteen years. Call on or address me at Beaver Dam, Ky.

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### Boy Falls 120 Feet.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 26.—Some weeks ago Tom Deely, aged eighteen, and a number of companions climbed to the top of a brick chimney, 130 feet high and eight feet in diameter. For the purpose of hoisting brick to the top a wire rope had been strung and the boys began bantering one another to descend by this rope.

It was finally proposed that a 25 cent bucket of beer be given to the boy who would slide down the rope, and Deely set about winning the prize. Grasping the wire rope, he swung out over the yawning shaft. He was an athletic boy, but the slippery surface defied his grip, and at fearful speed he began to descend. He had not gone more than ten feet when the wire rope had burned and lacerated his

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hands, and with a wild cry he loosened his hold and dropped 120 feet like a plummet to the bottom. The posterior portion of the tenth dorsal vertebra was crushed as between two stones, showing the fearful force of the concussion when the boy landed on his feet. The fragments of bone were removed, revealing the spinal cord. The boy is now home from the hospital and the physicians say he may in time be able to walk, but he will always be virtually helpless.

### Rev. I. R. Hicks Is Not Dead.

Notwithstanding a widely current rumor that the Rev. I. R. Hicks was dead, he never was in better health, and never did a harder and more successful year's work than that just closing. He has just completed his large and splendid Almanac for 1912 and, with his staff of able helpers, has brought his Journal, Word and Work, justly forward into international reputation. For a quarter of a century, Mr. Hicks has grown in reputation and usefulness as the people's almanac-maker, and forerunner of storms.

Never were his weather forecasts sought after as now, his timely warning of a serious drouth this year having saved the people from loss and suffering. Millions of bushels of wheat were harvested through his advice to plant crops that would mature early. The American people will certainly stand by Prof. Hicks, when it costs them so little and the benefits are so great. His fine Almanac of 200 pages is only 25c, and his splendid family journal is only one dollar a year including the Almanac. Send to Word and Works Pub. Co., 220 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

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### SINGLE HANDED.

Daring Deed Is Performed by Second Lieutenant Van Schaick in Philippines.

Manila, Nov. 26.—Second Lieutenant Louis J. Van Schaick, of the Fourth Infantry, while accounting with a few men of that regiment, met 150 insurgents, who had attacked and sacked the hamlet of Sianca, near Cavite. Upon seeing the Filipino Van Schaick ordered his men to charge them.

The command was obeyed and Van Schaick, being mounted, reached the insurgents sixty yards in advance of his men. He killed three of them with his revolver. An insurgent fired his rifle point blank at Van Schaick at four paces, but missed. Lieutenant Van Schaick was then knocked from his horse. He jumped to his feet and engaged in a hand-to-hand conflict with the enemy using the butt of his revolver. He sustained two severe wounds, one of which nearly severed his wrist. At this point the lieutenant's men arrived, rescued him and put the insurgents to flight. Van Schaick is in the military hospital at Manila and is doing well.

He has already been recommended for a medal of honor or bravery in a previous engagement.

General Hughes, commander of the department of the Visayas, reports that negotiations are about completed for the surrender of the insurgent leader, Samson, on Bolol Island. This surrender will doubtless end the revolt against the American authorities in Bohol, as Samson is acknowledged to be the best insurgent leader there.

### Murder and Suicide.

Terrill, Tex., Nov. 26.—At the small town of McCoy, Tex., J. A. Hearst, a bachelor, shot and killed his brother to day. Three children of the dead man were near the house and the murderer attempted to shoot them, but they sought refuge in the house of a neighbor and frustrated him. Hearst then turned the revolver on himself and blew his brains out.

### Politics Cause Shooting.

Maitsonville, Ky., Nov. 25.—In a quarrel in the street to-day William Bradley, a brother of Representative Bradley, was shot twice by J. W. Hancock. He is expected to recover. Lonnie Tucker, 7 years old, and Frank Merryweather, a young negro, were hit by stray shots, but were not seriously hurt.

The men quarreled weeks ago over politics, which made them bitter toward each other.

## A Good Hearted Man,

or in other words, men with good sound hearts, are not very numerous. The increasing number of sudden deaths from heart disease daily chronicled by the press, is proof of the alarming prevalence of this dangerous complaint, and as no one can foretell just when a fatal collapse will occur, the danger of neglecting treatment is certainly a very risky matter. If you are short of breath, have pain in left side, smothering spells, palpitation, unable to lie on side, especially the left, you should begin taking

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Heavy Underwear for Boys.....	25
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Ladies' all-wool Hose.....	25
Ladies' Dollar Kid Gloves.....	89
Prismeyer Shoes for Ladies.....	\$1.50 to 3.00
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#### Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table.

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No. 127 dep 5:10 p. m.	No. 126 arr 2:47 p. m.
No. 127 dep 12:30 p. m.	No. 126 arr 5:02 p. m.

Local Freight, No. 128 dep 2:17 p. m. No. 129 arr 5:02 p. m. B. H. VAN DYKE, Agent.

Mr. Rowan Holbrook was in Owensboro Tuesday.

Capt. A. B. Stanley, Wysox, called to see us Wednesday.

Messrs. J. I. and H. B. Ashby, Livemore, were in town Monday.

Mr. C. T. Edwards, Horton, made us a pleasant call Wednesday.

C. R. Martin, jeweler and watchmaker—at Williams' drug store.

Mr. E. E. Kelley, Hawesville, was in attendance at court this week.

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Mr. McLean Taylor, Morgantown, was in attendance at court yesterday.

Mr. Rolly Riley has been confined to his room with throat trouble the past week.

Mr. J. A. Thomas, who has been confined to his bed for several days, is still very sick.

"Anot" Little Collins, a respected old colored woman of Hayti, died Tuesday night.

## Coughs

"My wife had a deep-seated cough for three years. I purchased two bottles of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, large size, and it cured her completely."

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### Aching Joints

In the fingers, toes, arms, and other parts of the body, are joints that are inflamed and swollen by rheumatism—that acid condition of the blood which affects the muscles also.

Sufferers dread to move, especially after sitting or lying long, and their condition is commonly worse in wet weather.

"It has been a long time since we have been without Hood's Sarsaparilla. My father thinks he could not do without it. He has been troubled with rheumatism since he was a boy, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine he can take that will enable him to take his place in the field." Miss Ada Doty, Sidney, Iowa.

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Remove the cause of rheumatism—no outward application can. Take them.

## GUNS! GUNS!!

If it is Guns you want don't fail to see Carson Bros., stock of Shot Guns, Rifles and Target Guns, Ammunition, &c.

Mr. D. F. Gibbs, Rockport, called to see us Tuesday.

Mr. C. M. Cole, Dundee, was a pleasant caller yesterday.

Mr. W. P. Midkiff, Sulphur Springs, was a pleasant caller yesterday.

Messrs. A. S. Bennett, Buford, and W. A. Carson, Bada, made THE REPUBLICAN a pleasant call Tuesday.

Taken up as a stray—One black horse, white in face, both hind feet white, four years old. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. B. M. FAUGHT, 19-st McHenry, Ky.

List of letters remaining in the post-office since last report: Mr. Joe Rowe, Mr. John McMurphy, Mr. N. L. Wood, Mrs. Mant Barter, Miss Annie Haden, Miss Atta Dangherly, Mr. James Piles, Miss Rosa Parks, Mrs. Annie Carpenter and Prof. W. C. Helfrick.

Mr. William M. Chamberlin, of the No Creek neighborhood, and Miss Saville Shown, of the Kinderhook neighborhood, were married yesterday evening at the residence of Rev. Waldrup, on No Creek. These are both popular young people and stand high in their respective communities. They have our best wishes.

Miss Ella Louise Hendrie and Mr. B. H. Robertson, both of Rockport, were married at the Baptist church in that city Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. P. J. Jones officiating. Miss Hendrie is one of Rockport's winsome young ladies, very popular in social circles. She is a niece of Mr. D. F. Gibbs. Mr. Robertson is engaged in the lumber business, a very lucrative and profitable profession. He is a most excellent young man, eminently qualified as both to sail the stormy sea of life. Our best wishes are theirs.

### RED PRECIPITATE

Taken by Garfield Wooley, a Prisoner in Jail at Owensboro.

Preferred Death to an Eight Months Wait in Jail for Trial.

Garfield Wooley, a prisoner in the county jail, awaiting trial at the May term of the federal court for perjury, attempted suicide Tuesday night by taking red precipitate.

Wooley was indicted at a former term of the court for false swearing in connection with a whiskey case, and has been in jail ever since. At the recent term of the court he asked for a continuance because his witnesses had not been summoned at the expense of the government, and his request was granted. His bail was fixed at \$1,000, which he could not give, and he wanted the court to set the order aside and try him, but the motion was refused. He did not like the idea of staying in jail until May and decided to kill himself. His wife furnished the poison and he took it. One of the prisoners gave the alarm and three physicians were summoned. They gave him the proper antidotes and saved his life.

A Grayson county man said that Wooley's wife declared that she would rather be the widow of a Grayson county man than the wife of a convict, and that that was the reason she furnished him with the means of destruction.—Owensboro Inquirer.

### N. C. Rathbun a Bigamist.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Stanley Mair Talbert, who lives with her mother in Jeffersonville, Ind., is acquainted with the man she married in Jeffersonville Saturday night, September 8, 1900, that individual is Newell C. Rathbun, now in jail on the charge of having poisoned Charles Goodman.

Mrs. Talbert visited Rathbun this evening. When the prisoner was seen by the woman, she said: "You are Edward Talbert, my husband."

Rathbun steadily gazed at the woman, and then replied: "I am not Edward Talbert, so I can not be your husband."

Mrs. Talbert was asked: "Are you positive that the prisoner is your husband?"

"Absolutely," was the answer.

"I talked with him and I know he is the man who married me and a week later deserted me. The last I heard from him was when he was in Manila. The letter was written March 6."

It is said the writing in the letters Mrs. Talbert has, resembles Rathbun's handwriting in some respects. Rathbun has a wife in Little Rock, Arkansas.

### No Reply From Brigands.

London, Nov. 25.—"Mr. Dickinson has received no reply from the brigands to his ultimatum," says a dispatch from Sofia to the Daily Telegraph. "The brigands threaten to kill Miss Stone unless the full ransom is paid by January 1."

### KENTUCKY'S RESOURCES.

#### Movement for a Display of Them at the St. Louis Exposition.

The Board of Trade of this city has started a plan whereby it is hoped great results may come to Mayville and the State at large.

It is proposed to have Senator William H. Cox father a bill—and he has it under way—and push its passage at the forthcoming session of the Legislature, the expressions of which shall pledge a certain sum of money with which to make a creditable exhibit during the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis in 1903.

Heretofore there have been appropriations for such purposes, but so meager in sum as to preclude the possibility of advertising the State's resources and properly presenting to the world the inexhaustible fields of minerals, the vast area of territory, the almost limitless supply of timber and the geographical situation which Kentucky possesses.

It is proposed by those having the bill in hand to frame it as to make the good result to the State the first consideration.

The matter of management will not be given to those seeking fat salaries with no desire or ability to do the work which will be necessary. Men of the best business qualifications; men above party bias; men wise in planning and sound in execution will be selected and upon only a comfortable annuity while the preliminary arrangements are being carried out.

It is only eighteen months until the day of opening the Exposition, which from every standpoint will eclipse any ever held.

The Legislature sits in January, and any move towards passing such a bill must be done at this session.

The newspapers of the state are its pulse, and it is they which can boom this measure and accomplish more than all other forces combined. As the finger of the skilled physician gently lies upon the patient's pulse in order to learn of his condition, so the pen of the deft Editor is urged to take the pulse of the public and after testing it give expression, that this move may be pushed on to complete success.—Mayville Public Ledger.

### Program

Of the Sulphur Springs Magisterial District to be held at Sulphur Springs Dec. 14, 1901.

9:30 Welcome address—Mattie Ben. Response—J. E. Mitchell. Object of Meeting—Clarence DeWesse. Nature Study—Ruth Shultz. The Contrary Boy—A. M. Acton. Recitation—E. E. Wilmott. Recess. Infirmities and Participle—D. P. Mosely. Which should be taught first, the State or National Constitution—Jon Barrett and Moses Coggins. School Government—Wm. Park. Recitation—Will Johnson. Noon.

1:30 History—J. E. Mitchell. Compound Numbers—Lena Miller. Civics—J. I. Hoover. Physical Geography—J. A. Duff. Recess. Recitation—J. E. Mitchell. District Library—General discussion. Physiology—Dr. McDowell. Experience meeting. Closing Hymn, "America."

Wm. Park, J. E. MITCHELL, Com. MOSES COGGINS, Sec.

### Appraisal of McKinley Estate

Canton, O., Nov. 27.—The appraisers have filed their appraisal of the estate of the late President McKinley. The report shows that the deceased died possessed of personal goods and chatties to the value of \$2,655.89; securities, bank deposits and life insurance, \$133,105.15; money, \$129.15. Total personal estate, \$135,890.19, of which \$60,139.19 was life insurance. The real estate was not appraised, as under the will it goes to Mrs. McKinley for life and at her death to his family. It is believed to be worth from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

### Brother and Sister Wed.

Morgantown, W. Va., Nov. 26.—In the court of Justice Hayes to-day, Ann Webley, an aged woman, confessed that Minor Fields and Martha Webley, who were recently married, are both her children. The confession was brought out in a proceeding instituted by the State against Fields, charging him with incestuous marital relations and was a dramatic ending to the trial. With sobbing voice Mrs. Webley told of the mystery surrounding the birth of Fields, how she had placed him with a poor farmer to be brought up, in order to conceal her shame, and then of the long courtship and marriage of the two children. Some time after marriage some one who possessed the secret informed the Commonwealth's Attorney, who had Fields arrested yesterday. Fields is broken-hearted over the revelation, and is in jail at this place awaiting the action of the grand jury, but will likely be released on bond to-morrow. The courtship of the couple extended over a period of ten years, and the marriage seemed to be a genuine love match.

### Boy Kills an Assailant.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 26.—News reaches here of a desperate cutting slay on Brown's creek, twenty miles from here. Jim Gary, who is said to have been in a hundred fights, undertook to whip a boy named Cash Wilson. Wilson did not resist until Gary had commenced on him, when he drew a spring dirk and cut him three times. Two of the wounds were in the side and either would have been

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